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: NEOPLASMS
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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This Amendment and Response is to the Notice to File Missing Parts of
Nonprovisional Application dated March 25, 2002 in the above-identified case. The due
date for filing this Response is May 25, 2002. This Response is therefore timely filed.

Amendments

Please enter the following amendments.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend paragraph 105, at page 35, to read as follows:

--A human genomic library was screened with an *Id2*-specific cDNA probe, and
two phage clones were isolated and sequenced. A 3.0-kilobase (kb) *Bgl*I-*Nhe*I fragment